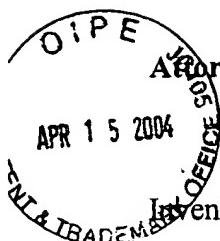


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The fee set in 37 CFR 1.17 for the extension of time is \$110.00.

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